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Katy System Is Vicious Thing

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL GOBBLES HUNDREDS ROUTING ORDERS FROM FILES.

THEY GO INTO THE RECORD

At 15 Cents per 100 Words—Land Agent's Circular Also—Hearing Closes in Waco.

By James Mays Quarles.

Assistant Attorney General Luther Nickles appears to be sparing for time in making the record in the state's \$105,000,000 penalty suit against the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad of Texas and affiliated lines and it looks to a man up a tree as if he is trying to wear out the general attorney of the Katy in the long-drawn-out procedure he is forcing through the hearing that is being conducted at various points in the state. It may be the state is trying to find an easy way to turn loose.

There was no document incorporated in the record that was made at Waco in the two days' hearing that was out of the ordinary in everyday railroad work. The state is paying for this record at the rate of 15 cents per 100 words that could be obtained at any time. For instance:

"Enclosed I am handing you copy of routing order drawn on Schwartzchild & Sulzberger company of Chicago, Ill., signed by Julian Hoyle, their agent, routing car of packing house products for Webster & Sons, Cisco, Mo. K. & T. and Texas Central railroads. Please place and secure for SYSTEM lines."

This letter was written by Hal B. Sperry when he was general freight and passenger agent of the Texas Central and was addressed to the Katy agent at Chicago.

Here is another letter:

"April 3, 1912. C. E. Bond, Agent Leuders. A. C. Fox of Leuders has order for two cars stone for the Bell-hare stone yard, Dallas, Texas, routed Waco, Mo. K. & T. Please be certain to bill these two cars via M. K. & T." It was written also by Mr. Perry.

Here is another:

"April 1, 1912. Enclosed herewith I am sending you routing order drawn on the Cain Products Company, New York City, signed J. P. Webster & Sons, Cisco, Texas, March 30, requesting that their car syrup be routed so as to arrive at Cisco over the Texas Central railroad. Kindly place and secure for SYSTEM lines." This was written by Mr. Sperry.

The word "System."

It will be noticed that the only possible importance that can be attached to these letters is the word "System" which appears in much of the correspondence. The record already taken in the case shows that in his testimony President C. E. Schaff of the Katy that there is no "system" incorporated that the court is easily made an advertising proposition. He directed attention to the usual expression "New York Central Lines," saying that the word "lines" is used merely as an advertising word and that several railroads compose the "New York Central Lines."

But this word "system" appears to attract the attention of the assistant attorney general, and stoically he digs the letters from the files, pile upon pile of them, thousands of words in all them, and adds them to the record—routine routing orders and requests which go out of every freight office of every railroad every day of the year.

The statement of the assistant attorney general is remarkable. He appears very serious about it. With pen and ink and fingers nimble, he plods slowly through the mass of yellow sheets of paper. He does not indulge in any of the light talk that passes between those who are gathered for the hearing. For five and ten minutes at a time he "peruses" these documents.

The commissioner appointed to conduct the hearing swings idly in a spring back chair, with hands clasped, the official stenographer, Mr. Evans, sits with pencil poised, and Alex Coke, the general attorney of the "System," Victor Brooks, the former judge of Austin, the salamed men and newspaper men scatter like conversation waiting for the next blow.

Did Mays Have Authority?

It paid slowly and suddenly. "Mr. Sperry," says the assistant attorney general, "please examine what purports to be a letter dated April 3, 1912, addressed to C. E. Bond, Leuders, Texas. Did you write that letter?"

Mr. Sperry examines it; it is familiar form used in the railroad offices, and is a direction to the agent to get the business for his road.

"It was written in my office," says Mr. Sperry.

"Did you write it?" asks the assistant attorney general. "It was written in my office. The initials noted at the bottom indicate

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Eldridge Offers to Take Over Penitentiary System

Austin, Aug. 8.—W. T. Eldridge again stepped into the limeight tonight, when it was announced through his representative, Roger Byrne, that Mr. Eldridge had a plan for guaranteeing the payment of the prison commission without a cent less to the state providing certain agreements might be accepted.

The plan of Mr. Eldridge is not without its dramatic points and deals in large amounts. He would take the management of the state penitentiary system and guarantee a net profit to the state of \$1,000,000 per year for three years. Furthermore, he would agree to the amount of \$1,000,000 to be furnished to the state in case the net increase for the five years did not total \$5,000,000.

He would guarantee humane treatment of the convicts and many other

BANKERS SUGGEST CHANGES IN BILL

IN CONFERENCE AT WASHINGTON WITH McADOO, DISCUSS CURRENCY.

NO INITIATIVE FOR BOARD

Remove Activity from Federal Reserve to Advisory Board—Increases Reserve Features.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The \$50,000,000 of federal funds about to be distributed in the national banks of the west and south to assist in moving the crops will be increased to \$150,000,000 if necessary. The desire of the government to mobilize all the needed cash of the public treasury in the agricultural belts of the country to avert the money stringency characteristic of the crop moving period was communicated today to bankers of the central west at a conference with Secretary McAdoo and Assistant Secretary John Skelton Williams, called by the treasury department to make arrangements for the big sum.

While these representative financiers, fresh from the crop moving conference of the middle states welcomed the prospect of the proposed deposits, the consensus of opinion, it was stated, seemed to be that \$50,000,000 would be ample to meet the situation. The dominant tone of the bankers' expressed convictions was that business conditions are good, but that the promised deposits would relieve the usual strain.

The thirty-one bankers seized the opportunity to urge two material amendments to the pending Georgia-Owen currency bill, with which changes it was said, all but thirty-one bankers favored immediate banking and currency legislation.

Suggested Amendments.

Amendments to the bill were proposed to Chairman Owen of the senate finance committee after the conference

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MEXICANS APPROVE

PLAN DEMONSTRATION IN MON- OR OF STAND AGAINST RECOGNIZING LIND.

All Classes Expected to Participate. Loud Muerta's Attitude—No Anti-American Spirit.

Mexico City, Aug. 8.—What promises to be a gigantic demonstration of popular approval of the attitude taken by President Huerta regarding the coming to Mexico of John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative, has been planned by the student element led by their instructors, for next Sunday.

The demonstration will not assume an anti-American character, it is stated, although the public generally finds difficulty in separating the idea of anti-Americanism and Huertaism as displayed in the attitude of Huerta toward the United States.

It is announced that the demonstration will be participated in not only by students but by all classes of the people. The crowd will march through the streets, halting at convenient places for speech-making. It is believed there will be no difficulty in obtaining permission for the holding of the demonstration but that the authorities must be assured no violence will be committed.

No new official declaration affecting the attitude of the government toward Mr. Lind was made today, but there is some reason to believe that the government is seriously considering going to the length of not permitting Mr. Wilson's representative to land at Vera Cruz.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American chargé d'affaires acting under instruction of Secretary of State Bryan, today again pressured the foreign office of the friendly character of Mr. Lind's visit, reiterating in substance the previous note of Mr. Bryan in which Mexico was requested to reserve judgment until the arrival of Mr. Lind.

The alarming character given the mission of Mr. Lind was attributed to sensational newspaper reports. Mr. O'Shaughnessy said, and he added that not even the embassy in Mexico City was advised as to the character of Mr. Lind's instructions.

Mr. Lind will not arrive in Mexico before Sunday.

Frederick Gamba, new head of the foreign office, arrived here tonight from Belgium, where he was minister for Mexico. Manuel Garza Adape, minister of instruction, probably will be transferred to the department of fomento.

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Auto Somersaults Occupants Escape Without Injuries

El Paso, Aug. 8.—Dr. R. B. Homan and wife remained in their automobile here last night while it backed off a forty-foot precipice turned completely over and landed right side up at the bottom of a ravine. Neither occupant was seriously injured.

Farmers Rating Only Cotton Are Unease Creditors

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 8.—Farmers who raise only cotton were branded as unsafe creditors in resolutions adopted at today's session of the Southern Merchants association's annual convention here. Diversification of crops was urged. Insurance, collections and accounting were the principal subjects discussed at the meeting today.

To Allow But \$60 A Year Now for Senators' Messages

Washington, Aug. 8.—Hereafter senators must get along with only \$60 a year for telegrams under the terms of a resolution introduced by Senator Shafroth of Colorado. Recently Senator Bristow charged on the floor that Senator Ashurst had spent \$100 a day at times in telegraphing in regard to political matters. The charges were denied.

The senate contingent committee, of which Senator Shafroth is a member, has been investigating the use or abuse of the telegraph privilege by senators.

First Prisoner of Police Women Is Released By Judge

Chicago, Aug. 8.—A woman's tears today lost the Chicago policewomen their first case because the judge was a man.

The woman was Mrs. Nellie Cameron, who was arrested last night by Officers Margaret Butler and Margaret Wilson on the charge of disorderly conduct. Policewoman Butler told Municipal Judge Rafferty that she saw Mrs. Cameron accuse three or four men on the street and that to all appearances she had been drinking. Then the prisoner gave way to tears. Between sobs the magistrate extracted from her information that she had taken some liquor to relieve the rheumatism. The woman denied the other accusation and the judge dismissed the case.

Government's Herd of Buffaloes Is on A Large Increase

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"The jury may see the materiality," offered Devlin.

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Explodes Powder Now By Wireless

Paris, Aug. 8.—It is stated that the French government is watching a series of extraordinary experiments at Havre with an invention of a man named Uhlir, who is said to have discovered means for projecting ultra-violet rays a distance of fourteen miles and exploding gunpowder contained in a metallic box. It is claimed that the rays also will explode a torpedo at the same distance.



THE ELUSIVE MR. CASTRO.

LITTLE ESTABLISHED

HART IS MADE STATISTICIAN

NOW BUT 5 MAJORITY

Austin Man Appointed to Fill Position Made Vacant by Resignation of Johnson.

Pullman Conductor and Hotel Clerk Testify Against Accused—Roger Under Assumed Name.

San Francisco, Aug. 8.—Witnesses heard today in the Duggs-Caminetti "white slave" case established little that was new or vital and a large attendance at the trial who expected sensational disclosures were disappointed.

It was announced today that Martha Warrington and Lola Norris will be called next Wednesday to tell of their flight from Sacramento to Reno in the early morning of March 10, their three-day stay there in a bungalow and the arrest which followed ending in the present prosecution under the Mann act of Maury Duggs and Drew Caminetti, who, the government charges, transported the girls to Reno for immoral purposes.

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Mississippi Steamer Sinks.

Vicksburg, Miss., Aug. 8.—The Mississippi river packet, Peters Lee, en route from Memphis to Vicksburg, struck a large log and sank at Lake Providence, La., at 7:45 o'clock tonight when backing away from the landing.

Although a large hole was torn in the big steamboat's hull and she sank rapidly, all on board were taken off. Captain Stapleton said that probably the boat and cargo would be lost.

The Peters Lee was the largest of the Lee Line steamboats. She was built at a cost of approximately \$60,000.

Cooler weather, with promise of local showers is the pith of Dr. L. Block's prediction for today.

Local Temperatures.

Local temperatures, furnished by Dr. L. Block, voluntary weather observer, for the twenty-four hours ending yesterday at 7 p. m.: Maximum 101½; minimum 74½; barometer 29.84. Humidity 58. Possible showers and cooler weather.

Washington Forecast.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Forecast for Waco and vicinity: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; light to moderate winds.

West Texas: Generally

AN AIR OF MYSTERY

About Vitalitas, Thinks Salesman.
Tells of Things He Hears at Cross Roads.

"There seems to be an air of mystery about Vitalitas," says Mr. M. S. Pennybacker, traveling salesman for a drug house out of San Antonio. "I make all the towns, villages and cross roads in Central and Southwest Texas. I hear of Vitalitas everywhere. It seems to have wonderful merit and to have something about it that puzzles every one."

"I heard one old man down in the Rio Grande section talking about it, and he expressed it pretty well: 'By cracky, I have thrown away my sticks,' he said. 'I can walk as good as I ever could. That stuff helps me, but how it does I don't know.' That seems to be the experience with almost every one—they don't know how it helps them. Lots of people ask me about it and I can only tell them what I have heard and know of it by reputation. I have not taken any of it myself, for I am perfectly healthy."

Salesman Pennybacker is right. Vitalitas has wonderful merits. It is bringing health and happiness to multitudes. People in all walks of life are finding in it relief and cure for ills of stomach, liver, kidneys and blood. Disease conditions are swept away by it. The most delicate invalid can take it and it is effective where everything else has failed. See the Powers-Kelly Drug Co.

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Paris in a few days to assume his duties as Mexican ambassador to France.

"I am firmly of the belief," said Senor de la Barra, "that the intelligence of the American and Mexican people and the spirit of justice and fair play in both countries will prevail in the present situation and that the possibility of anything akin to international complications is most remote."

"Intervention, it seems to me, is hardly to be thought of. High officials in our country do not seriously consider the possibility, let alone the probability of such action on the part of the United States. I will say, however, that should there by any chance be intervention, the universal feeling in Mexico would be such that it would be difficult to predict the outcome."

Senor de la Barra would not commit himself so far as to say that all the warring factions in Mexico would be united against the United States in the event of intervention.

"That would be presuming too much," he said, "but the inductible fact remains that a very great majority of the people in my country do not want foreign intervention in their affairs and would probably do what they could to prevent it."

"I have the greatest faith in the ability of President Wilson and Provisional President Huerta to solve the present situation. I am sure that both men are prompted by motives of justice and fairness and will see to it that nothing precipitate is done. Personally I have every reason to believe that existing difficulties will be settled before very long."

Senor de la Barra would not discuss the mission of ex-Governor John Lind

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as President Wilson's special representative to Mexico.

Senor de la Barra was accompanied to New York by a party of prominent Mexicans, including Carlos Pereyra, Mexican minister to Belgium.

Rebels on American's Ranch.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Advices to the state department today said that a small plantation belonging to Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, situated near Ciudad del Carmen, state of Tabasco, and adjacent property owned by the Mexican Exploitation company (American), has been occupied by insurrectionary forces under the leadership of Manuel Castillo Pineda. Rebels force also occupied Laguna College on the Matamoros river about fifty miles above Carmen. Federal soldiers have been dispatched from Campeche to Carmen for the protection of properties.

A number of young women teachers who have been in Mexico in the Tampico district have been cared for by the consul at the port and sent to Galveston, with the exception of one, who has refused to leave Valles.

A number of refugees from the Coco and Chama colonies are reported at Tampico and it is intended to send them either to Galveston or to New Orleans.

The situation at Piedras Negras was reported unchanged, the federals being still at Monclova and the rebels between that place and Hermas. Small skirmishes take place daily, but with small results.

Should U. S. Win.

London, Aug. 8.—Commenting on the Mexican situation, the Spectator says:

"If America gets involved in a Mexican war she will be lucky if it lasts only three years and stops short of forcing her to raise armies on the European scale. Perhaps, however, the worst aspect of the whole affair is, if America succeeded, as no doubt she ultimately would, her success would be even worse than failure. She would find evacuation practically impossible as she would have upon her hands a huge new territory, with a large population in a permanent state of revolt."

Japs in Mexican Army.

El Paso, Aug. 8.—Ten Japanese soldiers were among the force of General Diaz Salazar, sent south from the border this afternoon to guard the work train which General Francisco Castro, garrison commander in Juarez, says will repair the track and telegraph lines of the Mexican National railroad. The Japanese wore uniforms of the Mexican federal army.

Baraca-Philatheas Have Open House at Clay Street Church

The Baraca and Philatheas of the Clay Street Baptist church held open house to their friends last night. A strong program of addresses on the work of the organizations and musical numbers occupied the first hour, and the remainder of the occasion was spent socially in a watermelon fete on the church lawn.

A special feature of the program was the Clay street orchestra, composed of Miss Nannie B. Ferguson, director; violin; L. G. Stewart, cornet; Heath Lamb, violin; Paul Stanford, trombone; Chas. D. Tilley, base; W. V. Browning, clarinet; Miss Willie Barber, pianist.

The program was carried out as follows:

Invocation Rev. M. H. Seal

Music Orchestra

Address of Welcome E. C. Bell

Our World Wide Union Sanford Halpin

Reading Miss Fannie McMurry

Music Orchestra

The World Wide Convention and

What It Will Do for Waco J. Bates McKinney

Clay Street Baraca Class W. V. Browning

Music Orchestra

Clay Street Philathaea Class Miss Olive Hill

Quartet Messrs. Harlan and Bush;

Misses Swafford and Cottie;

The Baraca and Philathaea Classes

and the Press W. Roy Christian

Music Orchestra

BANKERS SUGGEST CHANGES

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With the treasury officials regarding the deposits. It was urged that the federal reserve board be deprived of all powers of initiative, lodging that function with the proposed advisory board, composed of bankers. This proposition would confine the administrative activity of the federal reserve board to the approval or disapproval of suggestions from its advisory council. The bankers argued that the federal reserve board should be stripped of administrative powers and made essentially a regulatory body.

Strong criticism was made of the reserve features of the bill. The bankers declared that as at present drawn it would decentralize credits to such an extent as to impair business seriously, some maintaining that they would be obliged materially to increase their loans. They asked for a reduction of the reserve required of country and reserve city banks, and such a relation as would permit the continuance of a proportion of reserves, with reserve agents, as at present, instead of forcing these reserves into the federal reserve banks or keeping them in the banks' own vaults.

They suggested that the reserves for country banks be reduced from 15 per cent of 12 per cent, of which 5 per cent would be held in the banks' vaults; 3 per cent deposited with a federal reserve bank and 4 per cent placed with correspondents or kept in its own vaults, or deposited with the federal reserve bank. They recommended that the 20 per cent reserves for reserve city banks be reduced to 18 per cent, 6 per cent in the banks' own vaults, 6 per cent in the federal reserve bank and 6 per cent with correspondents.

These recommendations, it was pointed out, would result in the transferring to the federal-reserve banks only about one-half of the present reserve banks with correspondents. Instead of all of these deposits as contemplated by the bill, the bankers argued that congress should go so far as to change the existing centralization of credit.

Senator Owen promised to take recommendations under consideration.

Secretary McAdoo heard the southern bankers yesterday and will confer with far west representatives next Thursday regarding arrangements for distributing the deposits of the \$50,000,000.

Library Story Hour.

Several of Kipling's most entertaining stories will be told to the kiddies on the public library lawn this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Miss Jameson. Last Saturday Miss Jameson told the story of "Rikki Tikki Tavi."

LITTLE ACTION ON APPROPRIATIONS

PEN LEGISLATION RUNS RIOT IN BOTH HOUSES—DIFFERENT BILLS ARE OFFERED.

COLQUITT WILL WIELD PENCIL

Bodies Differ—Free Conference May Be Necessary and Chief Executive to Be Considered.

Austin, Aug. 8.—Another day of the special session drew to a close tonight without any action on the appropriation bill having been taken that might materially further its passage before the close of the thirty days allotted.

Instead, penitentiary legislation ran riot in both houses. Practically the entire day was spent in considering legislation that most likely will avail nothing.

The house and senate bills are quite different. A free conference consideration may be necessary and then another argument opened before passage. The governor may still wield a blue pencil and days of valuable time will have been lost.

In the house amendment was offered on the insurgen substitute bill. Some were adopted. Many were rejected. Those adopted would give defendants in civil suits against the state and prison commission the right to plead offsets and counter claims in future litigations; set the bonds for the commissioners at \$5,000 and the manager at \$50,000; give all good prisoners a ten-cent per diem reward; not to be paid in money, but in days at the value of \$1 per day; allows convicts to work on county roads by contracts with the commission.

Furthermore, although the attorney general rendered an opinion regarding the validity of the \$2,000,000 bond issue authorized by the regular session and holding \$15,000,000 gilt edge securities, the house through a bill introduced by Cope, sought to repeat what the committee on commerce and manufacturers with little possibility of coming out.

Insurgents Defeated.

The insurgents defeated since their organization was administered the insurgen forces of the house this morning when a resolution by Reeves to have a committee of the house meet the governor half way and discuss the steps necessary to insure the legislation desired before the close of the session was voted down. This action on the part of the house is the first outcropping of the feeling of the members since the governor's address at Senator McGregor's barbecue, when he upbraided the legislature in no mild terms.

As forecast a number of amendments to the sub-penitentiary bill adopted yesterday were offered this morning. Woods of Fisher offered an amendment which would abolish whipping, hanging up by the arms and thumbs, and other modes of punishment. Woods and Cunningham took the floor in behalf of the amendment, but on a motion to table which carried 75 to 48, the matter was disposed of. This amendment though introduced by a member of the insurgen body, was not an agreed amendment by the insurgents.

Campbell of Galveston offered an amendment whereby all parties to suits against the state and prison commission might plead any and all payments and offsets to the question involved and which amendment covered all suits now pending and heretofore brought, and further provided that a duly certified copy of the judgment be presented to the legislature for proper appropriation of funds for payment of same. An effort to table failed, the previous question was ordered and the amendment adopted.

IN THE SENATE

In the senate after an all-day debate, the bond of commissioners was

fixed at \$20,000, \$15,000 more than fixed by the house; refusal to allow convict labor on public roads was decided while the house practically decided oppositely; the voiding of contracts when officers or employees are interested therein was the will of the senate. Instead of allowing the commission with the approval of the governor to select employees the bill was amended to allow the general manager, with the approval of the commission, to have this privilege. The manager was also given the authority to discharge employees.

Senators Townsend has foreseen the possibility that the appropriation bill may not be passed and will offer a resolution on Monday calling on the senate to consider the appropriation bills and to act thereon with them before other legislation is attempted.

The judicial appropriation bill carrying approximately \$100,000 appropriation annually for the judicial system reached the governor today. Aside from the contingent expense bill and the per diem and mileage bill it is the first bill to have reached the governor this session.

The senate, by a roll call vote this afternoon, passed a resolution to request the governor to address them with regard to legislation desired.

A viva voce vote was first demanded, and the defeat of the resolution seemed assured, but many who would not have hesitated to have raised their voices in objection changed their tune when a roll call was demanded. During the session Senator McGregor mentioned Willacy as gubernatorial timber. Willacy replied in a brief statement expressing appreciation of the confidence reposed in him, but said that he was not a candidate, adding that if he should run he "would naturally expect the antagonism of a certain gang of politicians who knew in advance that I would cut out their damned extravagance, near graft and incompetency." He did not divulge the personnel of the "gang" to which he referred, though it is possible that his remarks on the floor later in the day had some bearing in this direction.

Against Clark Bill.

Senators Austin and Terrell introduced a resolution calling on the members of the Texas delegation in the United States congress to use their influence against and vote against the Clark amendment to the tariff bill fixing a rate of 50 cents per bushel on cotton futures. This was referred to the committee on commerce and manufacturers with little possibility of coming out.

Brelsford offered an amendment to the Willacy amendment adopted yesterday, providing for the distribution of the penitentiary surplus funds among the convicts and their families. The amendment offered would retain 10 per cent of the surplus as a fund to meet any unanticipated expenses, while the remainder would be divided among the convicts.

Senators McGregor and McNealus both took the floor in arguing the amendment.

The senate finally adopted the Brelsford amendment to Willacy's plan and then recessed.

The Morrow bill reducing out-of-county witness fees to \$1 a day and limiting payment to three days, or \$3, was reported favorably with an amendment including those living beyond three miles instead of five miles. The original bill repealing \$1.50 a day witness fees had been killed in committee.

The Darwin-Wiley blue sky bill, limiting promotion fees of domestic corporations was given a favorable report while a substitute was reported out in lieu of the Hudspeth blue sky proposition, affecting foreign corporations.

NOW BUT 5 MAJORITY

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ney Johnston, had been summoned from Birmingham, it was believed last night that the senator was not in any immediate danger.

Senator Johnston was 70 years of age, had served through the war between the states in the Confederate army, was governor of Alabama for two terms and had been a member of the senate since 1907. He was unanimously elected to succeed the late Senator Pettus. He was re-elected in 1909.

Will Call Special Session.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 8.—Governor O'Neal late this afternoon announces that he will call a special election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of United States Senator Joseph F. Johnston today in Washington.

Because of Alabama's election laws, it is feared, however, that the election may not result in naming a successor before the final vote on the tariff bill is taken.

Chairman Goodwyn of the state democratic executive committee, says he may call the committee together at the same time the governor issues his call for the special election, this committee to arrange for the democratic primaries to be held two weeks before the special election date.

Among the names mentioned as probable successors are those of Representative H. D. Clayton; Representative Hefflin, John B. Knox of Anniston, Congressman Hobson, who opposed Senator Johnston for re-election and others. Oscar W. Underwood recently said he did not wish to give up his house leadership for a seat in the senate.

Governor O'Neal announced tonight that he had received a telegram from Attorney General McReynolds giving his opinion that the governor would be clearly within his right in ordering a special election at once. Governor O'Neal also declared tonight that if he was in Washington of a senator ad interim develops he will immediately call a special session of the legislature to make a temporary appointment.

Laundered Bills Are Good as New

Washington, Aug. 8.—Laundered money is just as good as new bills, according to the bureau of chemistry, which reported today to United States Treasurer Burke the results of a recent chemical analysis of the washed notes. The analysis discloses only a slight difference in the appearance of the washed and unwashed bills.

The reports say that the washed bills are lengthened slightly by laundering but that neither the brilliancy nor the engraved surface is affected.

Old bills lose some of their crispness but they retain tensile strength

and will stand a great deal of circulation. The experiment developed that genuine bills withstand the washing process but that counterfeit currency was instantly detected.

Wood claimed to have broken the American non-stop record between two points.

"I had engine trouble all the way," wrote Wood in his statement, "which made it very hard to keep a desirable altitude. The

Your Comfort

During the hot summer months depends largely on what you eat. First of all, make sure you are dealing with a house that handles only quality food products, and, secondly, make your selections with regard to the season. In order to do that, it is necessary to confine your trading to a house that specializes on tempting seasonable foods. We have learned how to bring to you such seasonable edibles that might tempt your appetite, yet not strain your pocketbook. And above all, we insist on making any purchase good and found satisfactory.

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CONFEDERATE REUNION.

Many Old Soldiers at Greenville—The Weather Ideal.

Greenville, Aug. 8.—Band music at 8:45 this morning inaugurated the second day of the Confederate veterans annual state encampment here. Brilliant sunshine tempered by a light breeze brought out old time liveliness about the tented city where the veterans are living over again their stirring camp days.

The morning was devoted entirely to social affairs with Chaplain S. H. Blair of Dallas leading in a general reminiscences session. In an address Judge W. L. Davidson of Austin told in his humorous way of experiences of Texas soldiers throughout the conflict. Mrs. Anna Dowling Robertson of Dallas, sponsor for the Texas division at the Chattanooga reunion, read a poem, "Dick Dowling," given her by former Senator Joseph W. Bailey, when she visited Washington recently. There were also readings by Miss Little Joan Houghton of Dallas and Miss Luis Powell of Marshall, while 5-year-old Frances Luna was elected division mascot. Election of officers and the selection of next year's meeting place was scheduled to take place late today.

TRACTION MEN AT TEMPLE.

Representatives of Southern Traction Company Look Over Route.

Temple, Aug. 8.—Messrs. C. M. Simpson and A. M. Coffin, representing the Southwestern Traction company, returned today from a trip over the proposed line between this city and Austin, spending several days at the latter place and then at Taylor on business pertaining to the securing of a right-of-way for the line, reporting that they met with the most unexpected success and that people all along the line are enthusiastic over the prospect of securing the same. They were accompanied to Temple by W. J. Fries of Austin, who held a short conference with President A. F. Bentley and other officers of the company returning home last night. Mr. Fries was very sanguine over the proposition and gave it his hearty endorsement. A right-of-way crew is also at work between Temple and Waco and reports receiving great encouragement.

German Paper Makes Abortions.

Berlin, Aug. 8.—The great scandal connected with allegations made several years ago against Prince Philip zu Eulenburg and other former members of Emperor William's suite was revived today by proceedings brought against a sensational weekly newspaper, the Monde Illustré. The paper printed an article connecting the name of Count George Von Hulsen-Haeseler, director of the coal theatres, with the case. In the referring to a rumour since denied of his approaching retirement, the newspaper referred to Count Von Hulsen-Haeseler as a bosom friend of Prince Eulenburg and declared that he only narrowly missed being involved in the scandal aroused by the disclosure of the prince's alleged abnormal temperament and habits.

Count Von Hulsen-Haeseler, who was on a yachting trip with the emperor at the time the attack appeared, filed a complaint with the police on his return.

The police today could not find the editor.

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Current Events

In Woman's Sphere

BOTH PHONES 1922.

KATE FRIEND, Editor

MRS. JAMES WRIGHT HOSTESS
FOR EARLY BREAKFAST

This morning, out at Cameron park, Mrs. James Wright of the East Side is entertaining with breakfast at half after 6 o'clock. The guest of honor is Mrs. Frost of Houston.

COTTON PALACE COMMITTEE
OFFERED MORNING NEWS

Now that preliminaries are being arranged for the women's department of the Cotton Palace, The Morning News' women's page offers its space for any announcements which the several chairmen desire to make. Send these to the editor one day, and they will appear the next morning.

EDGAR McDANIEL AND BRIDE
PASS THROUGH THIS CITY

Married in Whitney just a few days ago, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McDaniel have been passing visitors to Waco. They were en route for an extended wedding tour through the West, the Pacific Slope and into Canada. They return to reside in Hubbard. Mrs. McDaniel was Miss Mamie Dunn.

THE EUTERPEANS TO HAVE
A HOME COMPOSER PROGRAM

It is now decided that one of the open programs for the Euterpean club will be that of home composers. This course means voice and piano. Why not add a reader or two, and let those who have talent versus? Who has some poets of no mean ability. In the meantime, why not both poet and musician be making something fresh for this occasion?

TEA TRAYS IN MANY STYLES
AN UP TO NOW FANCY

There is an endless variety of tea trays this season, very charming ones being of glass with mahogany frames. The idea is not new, but there are several new designs; a design of flowers in head work under the glass is effective; in one the glass is over old tapestry; others are over flowered cretonne. These are ornamental for the sideboard, or pretty for the glass and pitcher for the light stand in a bed room.

A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE
FOR WALTER REESE

Remembering that his birthday would be spent in mid-ocean, with the longing for home deepening with each day's passage, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reese are to have a birthday surprise for the absent son. Fifty post cards, some with home scenes and others with the birthday design, have gone in a package to Mrs. G. B. Foscar with the request that she present these to young Reese upon the morning of his birthday. This message from fifty friends will indeed be a glad surprise for mid-ocean and a weary traveler from the Old World. The party is due in Waco in about one month.

MRS. WILLIAM NEALE
MAKES REQUEST OF WOMEN

In making ready for her department in the women's exhibit for the Cotton Palace, Mrs. William Neale is eager to secure the names and addresses for which she can collect labor saving devices for women's work. Mrs. Neale's idea is that if every woman who has in her home something which is labor saving as well as practical, she can secure the same from factory, in case she has name of article and address of manufacturer. She thus requests all women to respond. Some one may have an excellent article, brought from another city, which the women who visit the Cotton Palace would be pleased to add to their home. Therefore the request is made that this be done at once.

The address is, Mrs. William Neale, 1422 Austin avenue. It is desired that information be sent at once.

In the meantime Mrs. Neale is forming her committee of assistants. These will be announced in due time.

COTTON MODEL COMMITTEE
MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT

As chairman of the cotton modeling department of the Cotton Palace, Miss John B. Cooper makes urgent appeal to mothers whose children have talent as well as the mothers themselves, in case they have ability, to begin to design something for entry into the cotton model contest at the Cotton Palace. This really is the strongest feature in all the exposition, since it evolves the unique possibility for a Cotton Palace. Mrs. Cooper is already laying plans and working towards them. She feels that the response will be generous when the liberal premiums are announced. But even though there were no premiums, those who have ingenuity and talent should respond for the sake of making this department a success. All designs, especially those which portray present day ideas, are acceptable. Children and grown ups are to compete. The committee will be announced soon. In the meantime, Mrs. Cooper, 1824 Austin avenue, is pleased to give any information concerning what she has in view. Old telephone 402, new 202.

BRIDGE WITH MRS. PECK
A MATINEE GAME

"Just to see my friends all together," said Mrs. Fred Peck when queried as to why she formed her game of bridge for Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Peck has come over to the cooling south breeze. She added the electric fan at its limit of speed. Fresh flowers were gathered and placed about the parlors, and an ice-bouquet served, provided for the refreshment feature. For the game favors there were an unusually pretty fan, which went to Mrs. Lon Sparks, and a silver portrait frame which was won by Miss Irene Lowe of Tennessee. Those who formed this very pleasant game, quite a card oasis in the desert of summer stagnation, were the Misses Irene Lowe and Louise Lowe of Tennessee, Mamie Simms of Dallas, Ruth Lennox, Marie Anderson, with the Medsmades E. F. Drake, B. F. Dancer, Frank Simms, Edwin Jurney, Frank Trau, R. G. Wendland, Lon Sparks, Ralph Turner, John Fay, Stark West, Chauncey Prude, Frank Wells, T. C. Edmondson, F. J. Lennox, J. J. Powers, Chester Fields, W. R. Davidson, Fred Robinson, Carter Brockenhough and Lee Holloway.

R. WOOD JABLONOWSKI
IS BIRTHDAY HOST

The little folks, about thirty of them, had a birthday afternoon with R. Wood Jablonowski. This young man was about four years old, so the importance of the occasion cannot be estimated, if his judgment counts. The little guests, both boys and girls, spent a happy afternoon. A fish pond with the queerest of queer fishes was one attraction. The birthday cake was baked in the figure "Four," and place was found for

warm weather in New York, and are looking to relief in Waco.

The first card greetings from Mrs. Mary Evans have arrived. She is charmed with Chautauqua, both climate and life. Mrs. Evans is not at home until October. The interim will be spent in New York state.

The Friday post brought cards from Walter Reese, Jr., who remembers his friends from Paris. He reports pretty brisk sightseeing in order to keep up with the "natives," a night at grand opera and much of interest. Even the Parisian gowns are mentioned, and they are reported as "gorgeous." Mr. Reese fails to mention slit skirts.

Mrs. N. E. Boggess, in her card which arrived Friday, reported the Armstrong party enjoying the quaint towns of Germany, all well, in good spirits, and having an unbroken tour of delight. The party by this time is about arrived in Paris.

Mrs. Shapley Ross is spending a few days in the suburban home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Prime.

If any of us desires to pay special attention to the woodwork for our kitchen chairs, table frame, and such, why not use the apple? The old Tudor home had this, and our New England forefathers borrowed from them. The apple wood has the enduring quality which the wear and tear of the kitchen requires. The rush bottom chairs, just such as we see today in the Anne Hathaway cottage at Shottery, are coming into popular use for the kitchen.

At last the light glimmers, something tangible is to come as regards the humane work in Waco. The Lord blesses the man who brings the relief.

Mrs. J. S. McClinton and Miss Natalie McClinton, who have an attractive little bungalow in Fort Worth, are promising to return to their Waco friends for the winter season. Miss McClinton is progressing beautifully with her art.

Have you done anything worth while these lazy days? It is true that it is hot and our energy is dormant, but, why not the cool of the morning, especially we who find it cool enough to play bridge. The playing of the bridge game is all right, but let's not play bridge all the time.

The Number Two society is continuing some interesting sessions for mid-summer. A great many members have been absent, yet sufficient of enthusiasm has been left to prosper in some good work.

Just for the fun of counting, hands up for every woman who knows how to send a package by parcel post. How many know what can go by this post, how the rates are proportioned, what to mail same, and what stamp to use on the package? Not many hands we see.

Do not scold the telephone girl, even though she does exasperate you. This will not mend matters. If you truly have a grievance, ring the chief operator and state it.

If you are going to skate, do provide yourself with a skating costume first of all, a short skirt, wide at the hem.

Have you a Cotton Palace idea for the women's department? If you have pass it up to one of the women chairmen. If they do not, they certainly should appreciate it.

Society Notes.

The Misses Kinnard of South Fourth are spending the summer with their sister, Mrs. Hardesty, in New Orleans. Dr. Hardesty is absent, having gone to read a paper before the International Medical Society in London.

Miss Jimmie Horne left on Friday for a house party at Altea. The hostess is Miss Courtney Chatman, and the other guests are friends from Fort Worth.

Miss Julia McDaniel comes from Hubbard on Sunday. She will undergo the operation for appendicitis at Providence sanitarium.

The out of town cards for the marriage of Miss Katherine Brooks on North Eighteenth to W. L. Wilkerson of Houston have been mailed. The home invitations will be issued within the coming week.

Miss G. H. Gerald is receiving in every mail something from thoughtful friends concerning the passing away of Mrs. Alpha Gerald Brooks. One of the latest is from H. M. Miller, who saw in the Denver paper a full picture of Mrs. Brooks, and an extended notice of her life in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tuttle of Columbus street at home from from Illinois.

Miss Mabel Quay of Webster street is at home from Chicago.

Miss Ara Brooks of San Augustine, the present visitor to Miss Sallie Cartwright on North Sixth, is taking home passage with Monday.

Today notes the departure of Mrs. Fred Robinson to take the water trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tuttle of Columbus street at home from from Illinois.

Miss Ettie Horne of the South Side is at home from Temple and Galveston.

Dr. and Mrs. McClevey come from

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warring overthrow of it, trusting to the triumphant rebellion to restore a better order, points inevitably to the responsibility of intervention. If Huerta, or if his enemies, will not accept such friendly mediation and appeal as is embodied in Mr. Lind's mission, the constitutionalists must be permitted to receive support through this nation and do the business of restoring peace by violence, or this nation must take the affair fully and finally in its own hands. There is no hope of peace through Huerta, except on his own terms that the United States would be doing wrong to accede.

MR. WILSON IS FAVERED BY THE FAVERED.

Where there is much politics it frequently happens there is little consistency. It is to remark that some of these leading bankers and business men of the South and Southwest who are huzzahing the loudest for Mr. McAdoo's plan of crop-carrying currency distribution, and who in Washington Thursday subscribed to a resolution of confidence in the Wilson administration, have been almost equally loud in criticism of the administration's program of currency issue reform as embodied in the Owen-Glass measure and approved amendments. And yet it may not be said that the administration, putting forth this program as it does after long conference with the secretary of the treasury and expert minds, has in the McAdoo plan deviated to any extent from that which the currency bill is designed to accomplish. Mr. Henry claims the McAdoo enterprise is vindication of his recent suggestions for broadening the scope of the reform measure so as to benefit the growers equally with the bankers and business houses. He has not found agreement with his contention is widespread. But the fact of importance, in connection with the gathering of Southern bankers in Washington, is that a better understanding resulted of the purposes and patriotism of the president and his advisers in the matter of currency issuance.

"Resolved, that the Southern bankers, today assembled, do express to the president and the treasury department our sincere appreciation of the relief proposed and that we do agree to the terms and conditions outlined.

"Resolved, further, that we hereby express our sincere confidence in the present administration and believe that such interest and co-operation as is proposed with the great agricultural sections of the country, is but an indication of its desire to faithfully serve the needs of the whole republic as firmly, if not as harshly, as Diaz ruled, the land is marked long for civil war or sooner for an actual subjection by foreign power, if not the subjection of foreigners' territorial possession. The hot-headed generation in Mexico City, the country's best-educated men among it, seems neither to care what power may be in the ascendant nor to co-operate for the national good. Diaz was the last to preserve a semblance of organized government in every department.

And it is difficult to understand just how President Wilson comes to the conclusion, from all that has been told him, that there is no demand in this nation for intervention. Certainly this region at least generally realizes there is little hope for peace among the Mexicans and for recognition of American rights in that land, without some sort of American interposition. It appears from the reports that purport to be a discussion of the president's attitude in the matter of Mr. Lind's mission, that the day has arrived to consider alternatives. If Lind is rejected or ignored utterly by Huerta and his group, it is likely this nation will be opened to the anti-Huertistas as supply field for arms and munitions, and it is confidently expected the constitutionalists would be able to overcome the dictatorship in fairly short order. If Lind is received and listened to, despite the fact we have no diplomatic standing in Mexico, what expectation is there that Huerta would agree to abdicate, or even to call an election in the interests of peace? And if he should, Carranza has announced that the rebellion to Huerta will not agree to the plan; that, as the constitutionalists see it, there is no hope for a square deal in the making of a Mexican government while Huerta and his horde are in the field and likely to contend at the polls.

ACHIEVEMENT AT AUSTIN.

It is reported Governor Colquitt has personal plans that will take him from the State the latter part of this month—Colorado and later, to Panama—and the correspondents seem disposed to credit this information and find in it assurance that there will be no recalling of the thirty-third legislature. There remain twelve days in the legal limit of this session. The feature of current legislative performance, over which much interest is shown and participants appear to be rubbing their hands enjoying their own shrewdness, is the forming of a caucus, or "insurgent" group in the lower branch. This aggregation unitedly has passed the Wagstaff prison bill, said in the dispatches practically to undermine the system, and purposes repealing the bond law of the regular session, thereby foreclosing payment of the system's outstanding debt of \$1,600,000 "by an appropriation that would add 8 cents to the tax rate." This in the face of the somewhat carefully worked-out plans for penitentiary reform and an opinion from the attorney general's office that the bond issue in question was legal and the bonds "unusually good securities."

The maintenance of an insurgent control in the house may or may not bring about legislative achievement. The chances would be affirmative, of course, more surely if there is to be no second called session. The penitentiary reform bills of senate and house are in many respects radically inharmonious. It may not be expected

that the administration's wishes on this pressing legislation will be anywhere near closely tracked. And the State may regard itself as fortunate if anything at all is done to improve conditions in the system, financially and physically, and if the appropriation bill is passed and the assembly dispersed within thirty days. To this end, and within the brief time remaining, it is perhaps as well there is this concerted movement in one house to direct and control legislation. Under any circumstances, the majority would have its way. Time is of the essence if the governor means to depart, and let the legislators depart within a fortnight, and it is to be grateful if anything of good, at all, is accomplished.

TWO TYPICAL TEXAS TOWN TALKS.

Timpson Times: "The stranger in your town will have either something good or bad to say about your place when he leaves. One of the best methods of boosting a town is to treat all strangers well and show them that our town's people are a congenial and friendly kind. Don't tell about the few bad things your town has; tell him all the good points and let him find out the bad ones. Don't tell him about the things you haven't got; tell him about the things you are going to get. Often a little seed of this sort dropped will result in good for the town. Anything that is good for the town is good for you."

Next, Freeport Facts: "Regardless of progress and development, that old hospitality for which the forefathers of Texas were so noted should predominate and be shown to every visitor, be he rich or poor." We prefer the hospitality note, solo, and for this the Facts must get the feather.

We do not believe in concealment, or show, or evasion, or undue emphasis, or in anything but utter frankness and confidence in exhibiting a community to a stranger. If the water supply is bad, the local press should be censured if it says the supply is good, or if it refrains from urging improvement because "outsiders" may learn the supply is not all it should be. That is merely an illustration. Be frank about the town. Let it stand on its own footing. If it's worth living in, it will stand firmly and endure and grow rich.

A GAELIC PREROGATIVE.

If an Irishman is the sort of Irishman who has to be tagged before everyone knows he's an Irishman, then probably he does take himself too seriously. The open-faced sort never could. Denison Herald dubs Senator James Clayton McNealus of Dallas an Irishman, says he's a peculiar "cuss" and takes himself too seriously. "He is not contented," says Herald, "unless he is stirring up the animals and then he wants to do the principal part of the roaring. Moreover, should he get the senate and house to agree to his new constitution scheme, what assurances have we that he would not oppose it before the people? He is on record as voting to submit all the late constitutional amendments and then turning against them." McNealus takes this constitutional situation very seriously; so do we; so does nearly everyone who realizes revision to meet changed conditions in the State is nearly two decades overdue and that the patchwork of twenty years has wrought little improvement. And as the Dallas senator has done the principal part of the legislative stirring along this line, let's not begrudge him the loudest roar. He's an Irishman, alright, and in some of his "schemes" we're fairly disposed to this appropriate expression. "More power to the bye!"

GOOD MONEY, SWEET MONEY.

To quote The Free Lance, Dallas: "Hon. B. F. Looney, Attorney General of Texas, and his corps of able assistants, has caused to be placed in the State Treasury moneys collected during the half of his first term of office sufficient in amount to pay the salary of the Attorney General one hundred and twenty-five years; and,

owing to the fact that big business and corporations, that thrive by evading and overriding the law, with whose conduct the Attorney General is required to deal, have such influential connections and relations, the most the Attorney General received out of such a case is a free-for-all criticism and wholesale personal and official abuse." This writer appears to have more comment at his disposal than information on that whereof he speaks. We donate it to him—he has attained to the ultimate in absurd, snap judgment. One thing is certain: Mr. Looney's trust tourneys have made it evident there are a sort of commentators in Texas whose vision is restricted to the ends of their noses. They are afflicted with business myopia—and the worst of it is, it's the State's business that is involved. Their paragraphs on this oil companies suit begin, dilate, enlarge, perorate, climax and finish on "money." Their only concern is that an handful of dollars have been dumped into the State's coffers to carry its general expenses for thirty days. It matters not to them how the half-million was obtained, or why. And here we have a close student of the situation whose breadth of view runs to figuring out for how many years the usufruct of the Standard holdup would pay the salaries of the attorney general and his associates. Is it any wonder our law officers are emboldened to such forays when the mere sound of the words, "trust," "corporation," provokes such stuff in some public prints?"

THE ULTIMATE IN USELESSNESS IN TEXAS.

According to the latest liquor illumination of the attorney general's department: a vineyard in a prohibition county.

IN ALL FAIRNESS TO OUR READERS,

we cannot commend the reports of hearings of the State's eviction suit against the Katy as interesting matter on days of 104 degrees Fahrenheit.

WONDER WHAT SCHOOLMASTER WILSON

thought of the Southern bankers' resolution of confidence in his administration, with its "to faithfully serve."

TWO NEGROES WERE HANGED IN FORT WORTH.

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A PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY

has built an electric motor truck that hauls poles up to ninety feet in length through city streets and loads and unloads them with its own power.

Texas Viewpoints

SULZER SPECULATED

PRESIDENT AND OTHERS SUED

GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK USED CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS TO BUY STOCK.

FIFTY THOUSAND IN DEBT AND CONSTANTLY CALLED UPON FOR MORE MARGIN.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Governor Wm. Sulzer of New York was nearly \$50,000 in debt as the result of stock market speculation at the time of his nomination, and used contributions to his campaign fund to make additional purchases of stock while this debt was hanging over him, according to testimony adduced today at the hearings of the Frawley committee of the legislature.

The evidence brought to light is sufficient, according to Senator Frawley, chairman of the committee, to warrant proceedings to impeach the governor for violation of the corrupt practices act. The committee closed its hearings here today to consider what action should be taken. A decision is expected by Monday.

The governor, according to the evidence, had dealings with three different stock exchange firms, and was saved from being sold out by one firm by L. M. Josephthal, a Wall Street banker, and a member of the governor's staff as naval reserve aide. Josephthal, it was brought out, paid a debit balance of \$26,739 still standing against the account on July 15 last. This was after the governor had received repeated calls for more margin.

The governor's transactions with the other firms were for cash and it was in connection with one of these that Governor Sulzer, according to the evidence, used campaign contributions.

Testimony was given by Melville B. Fuller, a member of the firm of Frawley & Fuller, who on Wednesday had refused to answer the questions of the committee. Before testifying today his counsel announced that the governor had agreed that "Mr. Fuller's lips should be sealed."

On December 11, the firm, according to a letter produced by the witness, made its first call upon the governor for more margin for his account. The books showed that on November 18, previous, the governor had paid in \$10,000 against the account and that on December 18, apparently in response to the call for margin, he paid in \$6,000 more.

In October of the same year, the evidence indicated that Frederick Colwell, the governor's alleged "dummy," purchased from Boyer, Griswold & Company, 200 shares of "Big Four" railroad stock outright at \$6 for \$12,025, the \$25 representing commission. This was at the height of Mr. Sulzer's campaign for the governorship and transcripts from the firm's books showed the stock bought on October 16 was paid for partly in checks, at least two of which were identified in the testimony as Sulzer campaign contributions. There were seven checks in all and the others were charged by Eugene L. Richards, counsel for the committee, as having also been campaign checks.

During the same month 200 more of "Big Four" were delivered to Colwell by Fuller & Gray, another stock exchange firm.

This is the firm which had on its books "account No. 500," the identity of which was solved today when a clerk, Effingham E. Sutton, testified that Mr. Gray had told him the account was Governor Sulzer's. The other alleged transactions were indicated by the evidence.

The governor, according to Mr. Fuller, ignored the firm's calls for more margins. One letter was sent him June 9, 1913, and a second letter dated June 11 read:

"We have endeavored for a number of days to get in touch with you in reference to the condition of your account, it being very bad and weak. We must insist on immediate attention to this very important matter, therefore we require a deposit of \$15,000 at once to bring your account up to the required margin."

"The result of this communication was something over \$6,000 was paid by Josephthal and the account taken up is that right?" Mr. Fuller was asked.

"That was some time after. We got the Spriggs check before the account was finally taken up."

A. B. Spriggs is said to have been interested with Governor Sulzer some twenty years ago in the exploitation of the Alaska industrial company, a mining corporation. The check alleged to have been deposited by the governor against his account was said to have been for \$5,000.

DEEDS TO COMMENT.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Governor Sulzer declined tonight to comment on the testimony developed before the Frawley investigating committee in New York today.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NAMED.

WILL HAVE CHARGE OF CAMPAIGN OF CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE OF DEMOCRATS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The executive committee that will have charge of active campaign work for the national congressional committee was named today by Representative Doremus of Michigan, chairman of the committee, as follows:

Representative Scully of New Jersey and Representative E. T. Taylor of Colorado.

REPRESENTATIVE GARDNER ADVISED.

Representative Gardner is ex-officio chairman of the committee which will work in close co-operation with a similar committee from the democratic national committee in the organization and the conduct of the congressional and senatorial campaigns next year.

The contest for the chairmanship of the republican congressional committee was simplified today when Representative A. P. Gardner of Massachusetts announced his withdrawal from the race and gave his support to Representative Woods of Iowa for the chairmanship.

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Navs Swat Ray and Ware For Final Victory 7 to 1

Buffs Routed by Clean-Up Batsmen—Reilly Triples With Bases Full—McLaurin and Tanner Double.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Houston	72	46	.615
Dallas	68	51	.572
Waco	69	54	.554
San Antonio	62	60	.508
Austin	58	62	.453
Fort Worth	54	69	.439
Galveston	54	69	.439
Beaumont	47	74	.388

Time of game, 1:45. Umpire Mathews.

The esteemed Buffalo pitcher mussed up a perfect clean cap yesterday afternoon when Mathews called a close one on him. And Mr. Mathews, hating the thought of a young man growing up with such prodigious habits as to his laundry bill, let him go out in the cold, cold world to meditate upon how many unkempt things an ump can say in a short interval, and what the Navigators would have done to him if he had stayed in the box.

Which latter thought was vividly driven home if he listened to the dual report with which his successor hit the ceiling.

That was the central excitement of the last contest of the 1913 season between the Buffs and the Navs. The Navs strapped a small but solid package to the Buffalo collar, labelled 7 to 1, and on the reverse side, 2 out of 4; and shipped them off to the capital city lots, with hopes for a present just as acceptable from the Senators.

That's the last the Navs will see of Newnam and family this year, and what is most pleasing to the Bayou City fans, it is the last they'll see of the Navs. Many a blissful dream of a pennant reading "Houston—Champs 1913" has been rudely disturbed this summer by the entrance of a nightmare in which Dugay ran wild on the bases while his teammates plucked manfully at the ball park fence.

Maybe Meers, Ray and Newnam were chewing this fact along with their gum yesterday just before they started chewing the rag with Mathews. If so, they had some occasion to feel a little dyspeptic at sight of the last chance for a come-back going the way of all the others. But they misjudged Mathews' curves when they decided to work off that morning-after feeling on the upper deck, hand-carved themselves a beautiful hand-carved monument marked "Gone but not forgotten."

By going, however, they missed the joyful sight of seeing the Buffs turn loose fireworks in the sixth. One moment there was nobody out, and a Navigator on every sack—at least there was McLaurin on first, and Dugay helping just hold down third.

Theoretically, Jake was on second. Then Beck touched off the rocket with a swat to Knappa. Knappa had that habit of starting things. It is nerve-racking just to see him walk out on the diamond. The Buffs would be much more welcome if they would leave him at home. But to resume—Beck touched off the rocket; and when the fans got the smoke out of their eyes, the Buffs were trotting in to take their turn at bat.

They might have been figuring on pulling that same horseshoe in the next frame. The Nave were holding down every stand again when Reilly came to bat. And the rocket that hit him was off made that Houston scintillation look like a fire-cracker with the fuse pulled out. Likewise it scored three men.

Not to pass over the lesser celebrations, McLaurin and Tanner each sent off a Roman candle in the early stages of the game which all counted when the roll was called down under on the Houston bulletin board.

Houston failed to count in the fast inning. Dugay led off for Waco with a walk. On a run and hit, McLaurin doubled to center, Dugay scoring. McLaurin went to third on a wild pitch. Beck went out. Knappa to Newnam. Wohlbrenner hit one to Britton which the shortstop jiggled long enough to let McLaurin score, but pegged Wohlbrenner out at first. Rennard fanned.

Second inning. Britton walked, took second on Newnam's infield out, went to third on Knappa's hit through Beck, and scored on Allen's shot hit to Dugay. Ray flew out, and Dugay stepped the side with fast fielding of Mowry's grounder.

Crichlow walked and scored on Tanner's two-bagger to right. Mathews called a ball on Reilly. Ray threw his cap on the ground, and Mathews ordered him to the bench. Newnam said a few words to the umpire, was ordered back to first, and he started it again at the end of the inning, was ordered out of the park. Reilly lined out to Knappa, who doubled Tanner at second. Jost grounded out, Britton at third. Jost grounded out, Britton to Newnam.

In the sixth, with the bases full, the Navigators were retired by a triple play. Beck hit to Knappa, who forced Jost at the plate; Allen threw to first. In time to retire Beck, and McDonald returned the peg in time for Allen to tag Dugay as he was sliding home.

In the seventh, Wohlbrenner led off for Waco with a scratch hit to right. Rennard singled to right. Crichlow fanned. Tanner filled the bases with a fielder's choice which Knappa jiggled. Reilly triped to deep right center, scoring three. Reilly scored when Jost hit to McDonald. The Buff first baseman was so anxious to throw Reilly out that he forgot to touch the base and Jost was safe. But Dugay and McDonald flew out.

Waco—AB R. H. PO. A. E.
Dugay, 2b.....3 1 1 1 3 0
McLaurin, lf.....4 1 2 4 0 0
Beck, 3b.....4 0 0 1 3 1
Wohlbrenner, 1b.....4 1 1 9 1 0
Rennard, rf.....4 1 1 2 0 0
Crichlow, cf.....2 1 0 1 0 0
Tanner, ss.....4 1 3 6 3 0
Reilly, c.....4 1 1 2 0 0
Jost, p.....2 0 0 1 2 0

Total—31 7 9 27 12 1

Houston—AB R. H. PO. A. E.
Mowry, lf.....5 0 0 1 0 0
Aiken, 3b.....5 0 3 1 2 0
Davis, rf.....5 0 1 1 0 0
Whiteman, cf.....3 0 0 1 0 0
Britton, ss.....3 1 0 3 4 2
McDonald, 1b.....3 0 0 1 0 0
Knappa, 2b.....4 0 2 2 0 0
Allen, c.....4 1 0 1 4 1
Ray, p.....1 0 0 0 0 0
Ware, p.....2 0 0 0 2 0

Total—36 1 8 24 15 3

Score by innings: 210 000 000—7
Waco010 000 000—1
Houston010 000 000—1

Summary: Two-base hits, McLaurin

rin. Tanner, Akin. Three-base hit, Reilly. Double plays, Knappa to Britton; Akin to Knappa to McDonald. Britton to McDonald. Triple play, Knappa to Allen to McDonald to Allen. Pitching record, three runs and two hits off Ray, nobody out in second. Bases on balls, off Jost 3, off Ray 2, off Ware 2. Wild pitch, Ray. Struck out, by Jost 1, by Ray 1, by Ware 1. First on errors, Waco 3, Houston 1. Left on bases, Waco 4, Houston 1. Time of game, 1:45. Umpire Mathews.

Dallas 8, Galveston 2.

Dallas, Aug. 8.—Dallas made it four straights from Galveston by winning today's game 8 to 2. Harbin was hit hard and several times the hits were bunched. His two errors and those of Hughes contributed to the scoring. Dallas made five errors, the most of any team recently. Galveston had seven men left on base.

Score:

Dallas—AB R. H. PO. A. E.
Kellerman, 2b.....3 2 2 1 6 0
Storch, lf.....5 0 0 1 9 1
Duncan, rf.....2 3 2 1 6 0
Wilson, cf.....4 2 2 3 0 0
Tullo, 3b.....3 0 1 2 2 1
Hoone, ss.....3 1 0 2 2 3
Gross, 1b.....3 0 1 11 0 0
Marshall, c.....3 0 2 5 0 0
Ponder, p.....2 0 0 1 3 0

Total—29 8 10 27 13 5

Galveston—
Madden, 3b.....4 1 0 0 1 0
Maag, 2b.....3 1 1 4 3 0
Hopkins, lf.....3 0 0 2 0 0
Frierson, cf.....5 0 2 3 0 0
Massey, rf.....0 0 0 0 0 0
Dodd, rf.....4 0 0 1 0 0
Quinn, 1b.....4 0 0 8 0 0
Allen, ss.....2 0 0 3 1 0
Jordan, c.....5 0 1 6 0 0
Harbin, p.....6 1 0 3 2 0
Thompson, lf.....0 0 0 0 0 0

Total—35 2 5 24 12 3

By innings:

Dallas000 010 000—2
Galveston000 010 000—2

Summary: Two-base hits, Duncan, Kellerman. Stolen base, Kellerman. Sacrifice hits, Hoone, Marshall, Ponder, Massey. Struck out, by Ponder 2, by Harbin 2. Bases on balls, off Ponder 8, off Harbin 2. Batters hit by Ponder 8, off Harbin 2. First base on errors, Dallas 2, Galveston 5. Left on base, Dallas 17. Double plays, Hughes to Maag to Quinn. Wild pitch, Harbin. Time, 1:50. Umpire, Pettit.

Fort Worth 5, Beaumont 0.

Fort Worth, Aug. 8.—Fentress let Beaumont down today with one measly hit through the box, which should have been handled, and the Panthers evened up on the series by taking the final game 5 to 0. Fentress was invisible throughout.

Chappelle was rapped to all corners of the lot, Howard having a perfect batting record, a triple, double and single in three times at bat. The score:

Score:

Beaumont—AB R. H. PO. A. E.
Willis, c.....2 0 0 4 0 0
Dobard, 2b.....3 0 0 1 1 0
Botts, c.....4 0 0 2 2 0
Williams, lf.....4 0 0 4 0 0
Cook, 1b.....2 0 0 7 0 0
Bremser, rf.....2 0 0 4 1 0
McMahon, 3b.....3 0 0 0 1 0
Edmiston, ss.....3 0 0 2 0 0
Chappelle, p.....3 0 1 0 1 1

Total—26 0 1 24 6 1

Fort Worth—
McAvoy, 2b.....4 1 1 2 0 0
Maloney, lf.....3 1 2 4 0 0
Howard, cf.....3 1 3 1 0 0
Salm, 1b.....4 0 1 7 1 0
Eberline, rf.....4 1 1 3 0 1
Wallace, ss.....3 0 1 1 3 0
Webster, 3b.....2 0 0 4 1 0
Kitchen, c.....2 0 1 5 1 0
Fentress, p.....4 0 0 0 3 0

Total—30 5 10 27 9 1

By innings:

Beaumont000 000 000—0

Fort Worth001 020 010—0

Summary: Two-base hits—Howard,

three-base hits—Howard, Eberline, Struck out by Fentress, 5; by Chappelle, 2. Stolen bases—McAvoy, 2. Sacrifice hits—Dobard. Sacrifice fly—Howard, Wallace. Left on base—Beaumont, 3; Fort Worth, 6. Hit by pitcher—Willie, Bremser by Fentress. Kitchen, 2; by Chappelle. Time—1:32. Umpire—Howell.

San Antonio 4, Austin 2.

Austin, Aug. 8.—By bunching hits in

the fifth inning San Antonio won the last game this season from Austin to 4 to 2 in a well played game with both teams opposing each other in the box. McCuller was the best of the battle, but he allowed three doubles in succession, which coupled with an error, gave the visitors the game. Austin hit Rogers hard, but was unable to connect in the pinches. Deskin, an old Texas league player, umpired the game and gave satisfaction. The score:

Score:

San Antonio—AB R. H. PO. A. E.
Seitz, 2b.....4 0 0 3 1 1
Schwind, ss.....4 1 1 3 2 0
Collins, cf.....3 0 0 2 1 0
Frantz, 1b.....4 0 1 10 0 0
Goodwin, rf.....4 1 2 2 0 0
Kibler, 3b.....4 1 1 2 2 0
Lemon, cf.....3 1 2 1 1 0
Price, c.....2 0 0 1 0 0
Huntress, lf.....1 0 0 3 0 0
Rogers, p.....2 0 0 0 3 0

Total—30 4 7 27 13 3

Austin—
McCuller, 1b.....5 0 0 1 0 0
Roche, 2b.....4 0 1 0 0 0
James, lf.....4 1 1 2 2 0
Moliver, cf.....4 0 1 2 1 0
Hills, 3b.....3 0 1 2 2 0
McKellar, 2b.....4 0 0 2 4 0
Brownlow, ss.....4 1 3 2 1 1
Haigh, c.....4 1 3 2 1 1
McCuller, p.....4 0 1 1 1 0

Total—36 2 9 27 14 1

By innings:

San Antonio000 031 000—4

Austin000 010 010—2

Summary: Two-base hits, Goodwin

2, Kibler, Lemon. Sacrifice hits, Collins, Roche. Stolen bases, Seitz, Hohnhorst. Earned runs, San Antonio 3. Left on base, San Antonio 4. Austin 8. Double plays, Austin 1. James unassisted. Bases on balls, off Rogers 1, McCuller 2. Struck out, by Rogers 1, McCuller 2. Time, 1:30. Umpire, Deskin.

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THE PASSOVER

Third Quarter, Lesson 6.

Exodus 12:1-42, August 10, 1913

Before the infliction of the tenth, the punitive plague, the Lord instituted for his people a commemorative and symbolic ordinance. Every Hebrew home was to be converted into a blood-spattered sanctuary, within which, and there alone, its members should be safe. And the roasted flesh of the lamb whose blood had saved their lives was to nourish their bodies on the eve of their departure from the land of bondage. . . . A full moon was shining on the mystic Nile, to which the Hebrews were so soon to say farewell forever, and on that weird architecture, the very gigantic proportion of which was in itself evidence of indomitable will on the part of the builders. Every Israelitish doorway blushed in blood, evincing to eye of God and man that the obedience of faith had been rendered. Within, girded and sandaled for their march, the serfs of four centuries on the eve of emancipation, were standing and feasting on a sacrifice with solemn awe and joy. The bitter endive reminded them at once of the severity of their captivity and the捉itude of their sins; at the same time it made the roasted flesh of the lamb taste all the sweeter. Their yeastless bread was a token of how free they were to keep themselves from the leaven of the world. A nation was standing still to see the salvation of God that night. . . . What a contrast the Egyptian homes presented! There was in each a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation. The impotence of their gods had been revealed in the long tournament with the Hebrews God. They had no refuge, no eye to pity, no arm to deliver. Egypt's apparent strength was really weakness. The Lord's strength had a perfect manifestation in Israel's utter and resourceless feebleness.

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pressure can be exerted in favor of any bill we want passed or defeated. For civic work in the individual society I would suggest a citizenship study class. Get a practical and efficient Christian Endeavor leader, and start the study of Amos A. Well's "Citizens in Training," published by the United Society for 35 cents. Make a general study of it. Then, should you want to know something of the national movements, write to the National Reform Association, 209 Ninth street, Pittsburgh, and they will send you reading matter along national citizenship lines.

Then, after getting a knowledge of the broad outlines of the work, begin to study the problems in your own city, county and state. Discuss the ways and means of doing this work and then put them into practice. Theory is all right for a while, but practical work is what this department must have to accomplish anything.

The citizenship committee could educate the society by giving a five-minute talk each week in the regular prayer meeting for about three months. Then you would be ready to take up the work in your own city.

Each place has its individual needs for citizenship work; therefore each society must study its own local problems.

We have a great work to do in influencing good men to run for office, getting good laws passed and promoting civic righteousness; but if each society does its duty much can be accomplished.

Young People's Devotional Service. August 10, 1913. Daniel 1:8-17. Heroes and Heroines of the Temperance Cause.

The whole temperance cause is in that word: "Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself." The fundamental principles of it, all the heroism of it, the remedy for all the evils of the contrary course, are shown in those talismanic words. Each individual must get that vision and make that resolve—first for himself, and then for his neighbor.

Christian Endeavor Lesson, Aug. 10. Heroes and Heroines of Temperance. Daniel 1:8-17. Daily Headings.

The Oath-Bound—Num. 6: 1-5. True to Promise—Jel. 33: 4-10, 14. Clean Priests—Lev. 10: 8-11. Prohibition Territory—Deut. 29:1-6. God's Will for Men—Luke 1:13-17. A Hero for Others—Rom. 14:16-23. Temperance Heroes.

John B. Gough was a poor young Englishman who came to this country only to fall deeper into the power of rum. He became degraded and poverty stricken, and was on the point of committing suicide. But he was rescued by the earnest and faithful labors of Christian friends, and began to speak for temperance. He became the most remarkable temperance orator in the world, delivering thousands of addresses that were marvels for their combination of wit, dramatic power, and convincing eloquence.

Father Matthew was an Irish Catholic priest of the first half of the last century. He traveled over Ireland, Scotland and England, and spent two years in America, everywhere arousing tremendous interest in the cause of total abstinence, and getting thousands to sign the pledge.

Farnels E. Willard was a remarkably successful teacher in private schools and colleges, but gladly gave up her splendid prospects in that field in order to become, at the head of the newly formed Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the greatest and most beloved temperance worker of the world's history.—Endeavorer's Daily Companion.

Temperance Shots.

Chicago drinks enough liquor in a year to float the biggest ship on the lakes.—Edward Gaston.

Japan, with practically the same poor laws as Great Britain, has only 24,000 paupers, while Great Britain has 100,000. The Japanese drink tea; the British drink alcohol.

Kansas (for many years a prohibition state) has 560,000 children in the public schools who never saw a saloon. More than half the jails in the state are empty. Eighty-seven counties have no insane. Twenty-nine counties have no inmates of the poor farms. Kansas has an average wealth of \$1,700. Less than ten of the 786 papers in the state accept liquor advertisements.

For Better Citizens.

By Paul E. Baker, superintendent of Citizenship Department, Texas Christian Endeavor Union.

Texas is divided into eighteen districts, with a citizenship chairman in each district. With this arrangement work definite in character is done in every part of our great state. With the aid of the chairmen a great deal of

Charles L. Marvin the Man
Behind the Daily Weather

election in which Woodrow Wilson was chosen president.

Early in the administration it was announced that in choosing men for scientific positions President Wilson's policy would be to consider their efficiency and to pay small attention to their political affiliations. This policy has been emphasized in a number of appointments, notably that of Hugh M. Smith, a republican, to be fish commissioner. The president and Secretary Houston went about choosing a weather bureau chief in a very leisurely fashion but with this policy in mind.

Careful Selection.

In the two months that elapsed after Chief Moore's dismissal the secretary was quoted more than once as making the facetious remark that the weather had been very satisfactory without the supervision of the weather chief, the intimation being that he did not believe the chief's work to be as intensely important as it had at times been regarded. However, when it was decided that a choice should be made the president and the secretary went about it very carefully. They asked a committee of the National Academy of Science to recommend a list of men for the office, basing the recommendations on merit alone.

Prof. Marvin's name stood high on the list. Secretary Houston made some inquiries about Prof. Marvin on his own account, had an interview with him and communicated the results of his inquiries and observations to the president, with the recommendation that Prof. Marvin be appointed. The president acted quickly. Though the appointment had been made Prof. Marvin has not yet moved his desk from the big working room which he as chief of the instruments division occupied in company with a number of other employees and officials of the service into the more sumptuous quarters which Willis L. Moore once occupied.

Chief Marvin is a very serious minded man. He has spent his life in physical science.

He has devised apparatus.

Practically all the apparatus now used by the weather stations were either devised or improved in some way by the experiments of Prof. Marvin.

Prof. Marvin was a pioneer in the use of kites for observing weather conditions in the atmospheric strata above the earth. He began his work in 1884, three years after the box kite was put on the market by a German inventor. The box kite he soon found to be the only type of flyer in any way adapted to the use of weather observers.

Prof. Marvin improved in many ways the original model of the box kite, thus fitting it for scientific purposes. His chief success was in producing a kite that could be flown directly overhead instead of off at an oblique angle as had been necessary with the German types.

Prof. Marvin has no radical ideas about changing the entire policy of the bureau as soon as he has taken the reins of power. He has said that he realizes the ways in which he can spend the appropriations for the weather service are pretty strictly specified by law. He thinks that he can procure the highest degree of efficiency in the service by causing his assistants to give strict heed to scientific methods. What he does will be done after careful deliberation.

Cattle Endanger Girls.

Muskogee, Okla., Aug. 8.—A cattle stampede surrounded five girls in an automobile on the prairie south of Muskogee just at dusk last night and held them prisoners until daylight. The girls got lost en route to Muskogee. The cattle packed so closely about the car it could not run and then went dead. The cattle, milling about the car, caused the girls to spend the night on top of the tonneau. At daybreak the cattle began to disperse and the car was overturned and the girls reached Muskogee safely.

A. M. Nabors Dies.

Marlin, Aug. 8.—A. M. Nabors died at his home near Mart Thursday after an extended illness. He was well known in this section, having been prominently identified in Farmers' Union movements for a number of years. The funeral took place in Mart today.

Personal Mention.

E. L. Hall of Memphis is registered at the State House.

A. C. Thompson is here from Paris for a few days.

Charles D. Lovelace of San Angelo is here on business.

E. F. Alt is a recent arrival in Waco from Dallas.

S. S. Lard and D. B. Lard are here on business from Fort Worth.

J. W. Bannon spent Friday in Waco from Houston.

F. Adelman has gone to New York on a business trip.

Gen. W. H. Patterson of Dallas, is a visitor in the city.

Jesse McWilliams, formerly a resident of Waco, where he was reared, but now with R. H. Downman, the cypress king, was a visitor "home" for a few days.

William Young, actuary for the Somers system, is here for a few days and will confer with the equalization board.

Frank L. Poyas, of Los Angeles, Cal., who spent a few days visiting old Waco friends, left for California last evening. While he has done well out on the slope, he expressed himself as astonished at Waco's wonderful growth in the past ten years, and said he failed utterly to recognize many old familiar spots.

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Circulate Petition to Order Local Option Election in Bell County.

Temple, Aug. 8.—Prohibition leaders are very busy just now securing signatures to a petition praying the Bell county commissioners court to order a local option election in certain justice precincts of the county in an attempt to make Temple and Belton "dry."

Two of the four commissioners have already expressed their opposition to such an election and it will be up to Judge Shipp to decide the matter with his vote. If the pros were successful in the election it would indicate that only a year ago voted "wet" by a good majority. The commissioners have agreed to receive the petition and take final action thereon at its meeting to be held August 11.

Katy Freight Wrecked.

Fort Worth, Aug. 8.—Earl Roark of Denton and the head brakeman on a southbound Katy freight train were killed this afternoon when an engine and fifteen cars went through Elm creek bridge. The accident happened six miles north of Denton. Engineer Demar was badly scalded and it is reported his fireman will die from his wounds.

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A hasty conference disclosed the fact that the American Legation at Caracas was in charge of a clerk, and Mr. Bryan at once designated Henry F. Tenant, of the Bureau of Latin-American Affairs, State Department, as Secretary of Legation at Caracas and asked the Navy Department to take him to La Guayra on board the cruiser Des Moines. He will represent the United States pending the appointment of a new Minister, in place of Elliott Northcott, formerly Minister. The revolution will hasten the appointment of a new Minister.

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GREAT LOSS IN YEARS' CORN CROP

DROUGHT AND OTHER CONDITIONS
SINCE JULY—LESS THAN
LAST YEAR.

KANSAS IS BIGGEST SUFFERER

Winter Wheat Showing Best in History—Spring Wheat Increased.
But Potatoes Lost.

Washington, Aug. 8.—A loss of 300,000 bushels of corn, the nation's greatest farm crop, has resulted from the great damage wrought by drought and other conditions since July 1, was estimated today by the government's agricultural experts in their August crop report. A total production of 2,672,000,000 bushels of corn was predicted. This is 452,000,000 bushels less than last year's crop.

The general condition of corn was placed at 75.8 per cent of a normal compared with 86.9 per cent on July 1. Kansas was hit hardest, the condition there having been reduced from 81 per cent in July to 30 per cent on August 1. Oklahoma came next with a condition of 44 against 87 in July, and Nebraska reported 67 against 91 July 1. These three states have almost 19 per cent of the total area planted to corn this year.

A bright spot in the monthly grain report, however, was the preliminary statistics showing a production of 511,000,000 bushels of winter wheat. This is the greatest harvest of wheat ever gathered in the United States, exceeding the record crop of 1902 by 19,000,000 bushels. Today's figures exceeded by 28,000,000 bushels the estimate made by the department in July.

Spring wheat, too, was given an increased estimate of production, it being 15,000,000 bushels more than the July estimate, the total being placed at 231,000,000 bushels. With the bumper winter wheat crop and a fairly good spring wheat production, the total production of all wheat is estimated at 744,000,000 bushels. A crop this size would place the year's production second only to the record crop of 1901, when 748,000,000 bushels were produced.

The harvest of white potatoes, it is estimated, will be smaller by 82,000,000 bushels than the crop of 1912. A total of 325,000,000 bushels is estimated.

With preliminary estimates of the bumper winter wheat crop and size of the crop of rye, the department of agriculture's crop reporting board in its August report announced figures giving also indicated yields, interpreted from condition figures of the probable total production of corn, spring wheat, oats, barley, buckwheat, potatoes, tobacco, flax, rice and hay. At the same time they announced the condition of these crops on August 1 or at time of harvest: stocks of oats and barley in farmers' hands on August 1 and the indicated acre yield of the crops.

Details of reports made on each crop follow:

Corn—Condition 75.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 86.9 per cent on July 1, 1913; 80.6 per cent on August 1, 1912, and 82.2 per cent, the average for the past ten years on August 1. Area planted, 106,884,000 acres, or 98.8 per cent of last year's acreage. Indicated yield, 25.0 bushels per acre, compared with 29.2 bushels last year, and 26.5 bushels, the average for the past five years. Estimated production, 2,672,000,000 bushels last year; 2,531,488,000 bushels in 1911; 2,886,260,000 bushels in 1910, and 2,552,000,000 bushels in 1909.

Rice—Condition 88.7 per cent of a normal compared with 88.4 per cent last month, 86.2 per cent last year, and 88.8 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 23.9 bushels, compared with 24.7 bushels last year, and 23.7 bushels the average yield for the past five years. On the planted area, 2,455,000 acres, it is estimated the total production, interpreted from condition reports, will be 20,000,000 bushels, compared with 28,073,000 bushels last year, 19,370,000 bushels in 1911, 12,718,000 bushels in 1910 and 19,513,000 bushels in 1909.

Buckwheat—Condition 88.7 per cent of a normal compared with 88.4 per cent last month, 87.5 per cent last year, and 82.9 per cent the average for the past nine years. Indicated yield per acre, 8.3 bushels, compared with 9.8 bushels last year, 7.0 bushels in 1911, and 8.2 bushels the average yield for the past five years. On the planted area, 1,144,500 acres, it is estimated the total production, interpreted from condition reports, will be 896,000,000 pounds, compared with 962,855,000 pounds last year, 965,109,000 pounds in 1911, 1,034,15,000 pounds in 1910, and 1,055,765,000 pounds in 1909.

Flax—Condition 77.4 per cent of a normal, compared with 82.6 per cent last month, 87.5 per cent last year, and 82.9 per cent the average for the past nine years. Indicated yield per acre, 8.3 bushels, compared with 9.8 bushels last year, 7.0 bushels in 1911, and 8.2 bushels the average yield for the past five years. On the planted area, 1,144,500 acres, it is estimated the total production, interpreted from condition reports, will be 896,000,000 pounds, compared with 962,855,000 pounds last year, 965,109,000 pounds in 1911, 1,034,15,000 pounds in 1910, and 1,055,765,000 pounds in 1909.

Potatoes—Condition 78.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 86.2 per cent last month, 87.8 per cent last year, and 82.9 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 89.0 bushels, compared with 113.4 bushels last year, 80.9 bushels in 1911 and 96.1 bushels the average for the past five years. On the area planted it is estimated the total production of buckwheat, interpreted from condition reports, will be 17,000,000 bushels, compared with 19,249,000 bushels last year, 17,549,000 bushels in 1911, 17,598,000 bushels in 1910 and 14,849,000 bushels in 1909.

White Potatoes—Condition 78.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 86.2 per cent last month, 87.8 per cent last year, and 82.9 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 89.0 bushels, compared with 113.4 bushels last year, 80.9 bushels in 1911 and 96.1 bushels the average for the past five years. On the area planted it is estimated the total production of buckwheat, interpreted from condition reports, will be 17,000,000 bushels, compared with 19,249,000 bushels last year, 17,549,000 bushels in 1911, 17,598,000 bushels in 1910 and 14,849,000 bushels in 1909.

Barley—Condition 78.4 per cent of a normal, compared with 86.2 per cent last month, 87.8 per cent last year, and 82.9 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 80.7 bushels, compared with 94.7 bushels last year, 72.0 bushels in 1911, and 82.0 bushels the average yield for the past five years. On the planted area, 1,144,500 acres, it is estimated the total production, interpreted from condition reports, will be 896,000,000 pounds, compared with 962,855,000 pounds last year, 965,109,000 pounds in 1911, 1,034,15,000 pounds in 1910, and 1,055,765,000 pounds in 1909.

Oats—Condition 78.7 per cent of a normal, compared with 78.8 per cent last month, 89.1 per cent last year, and 81.5 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 12.5 bushels, compared with 17.2 last year, 9.4 bushels in 1911, and 13.3 bushels, the average yield for the past five years. On the planted area, 18,663,000 acres, it is estimated the total production of spring wheat, interpreted from condition reports, will be 232,000,000 bushels, compared with 330,248,000 bushels last year, 190,652,000 bushels in 1911, 265,000,000 bushels in 1910, and 265,000,000 bushels in 1909.

Apples—Condition 52.2 per cent of a five year average.

Spring Wheat—Condition 74.1 per cent of a normal, compared with 73.8 per cent last month, 80.4 per cent last year, and 80.4 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 12.5 bushels, compared with 17.2 last year, 9.4 bushels in 1911, and 13.3 bushels, the average yield for the past five years. On the planted area, 18,663,000 acres, it is estimated the total production of spring wheat, interpreted from condition reports, will be 232,000,000 bushels, compared with 330,248,000 bushels last year, 190,652,000 bushels in 1911, 265,000,000 bushels in 1910, and 265,000,000 bushels in 1909.

All Wheat—Indicated yield 15.6 bushels per acre, compared with 15.9 bushels last year and 14.5 bushels the five-year average. On the area planted, 49,601,000 acres or 188.2 per cent of last year's acreage, it is estimated the total production will be 744,000,000 bushels, compared with 730,267,000 bushels last year, 621,328,000 bushels in 1911, 635,121,000 bushels in 1910, and 683,000,000 bushels in 1909.

Oats—Condition 73.7 per cent of a normal, compared with 76.3 per cent last month, 90.3 per cent last year, and 81.5 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 26.8 bushels, compared with 37.4 bushels last year and 29.7 bushels the average for the past five years. On the planted area, 33,341,000 acres, it is estimated the total production of oats, interpreted from condition reports, will be 1,028,000,000 bushels, compared with 1,418,337,000 bushels last year, 922,298,000 bushels in 1911, 1,183,341,000 bushels in 1910, and 1,007,129,000 bushels in 1909. The amount of oats remaining on farms August 1, is estimated at about 102,900,000 bushels, compared with 34,872,000 bushels last year, 67,793,000 bushels in 1911, and 64,199,000 bushels in 1910.

Barley—Condition 78.4 per cent of a normal, compared with 76.6 per cent last month, 89.1 per cent last year, and 82.9 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 80.7 bushels, compared with 94.7 bushels last year, and 85.5 bushels the average for the past five years. On the planted area, 7,255,000 acres, it is estimated the total production of barley, interpreted from condition reports, will be 168,000,000 bushels, compared with 223,824,000 bushels last year, 160,

240,000 bushels in 1911, 172,832,000 bushels in 1910 and 172,321,000 in 1909.

Rye—The area planted to rye is estimated at about 2,134,000 acres, compared with 2,097,000 acres last year, 2,127,000 acres in 1911, 2,185,000 acres in 1910 and 2,196,000 acres in 1909. It is preliminarily estimated the yield per acre is 16.3 bushels, compared with 16.8 bushels last year and 16.2 bushels the average for the past five years. A preliminary estimate of the total yield places it at about 17,000,000 bushels, compared with 35,644,000 bushels last year, 33,119,000 bushels in 1911, 34,857,000 bushels in 1910, and 29,529,000 bushels in 1909. The quality of rye is 24.0 per cent, compared with 91.5 per cent last year and 92.0 the ten year average.

Buckwheat—Condition 85.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 90.4 per cent last year and 92.2 per cent the average for the past ten years. The area planted to buckwheat this year is estimated at about 841,000 acres, compared with \$35,000 acres last year, 83,000 acres in 1911 and 87,000 acres in 1909. Indicated yield per acre 20.1 bushels compared with 22.9 bushels last year and 21.0 bushels the average for the past five years. On the area planted it is estimated the total production of buckwheat, interpreted from condition reports, will be 17,000,000 bushels, compared with 19,249,000 bushels last year, 17,549,000 bushels in 1911, 17,598,000 bushels in 1910 and 14,849,000 bushels in 1909.

White Potatoes—Condition 78.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 86.2 per cent last month, 87.8 per cent last year and 82.9 per cent the average for the past ten years. Indicated yield per acre, 92.0 bushels, compared with 113.4 bushels last year, 80.9 bushels in 1911 and 96.1 bushels the average for the past five years. On the area planted it is estimated the total production of white potatoes, interpreted from condition reports, will be 829,000,000 bushels last year, 829,647,000 bushels last year, 829,647,000 bushels in 1911, 849,052,000 bushels in 1910 and 839,195,000 bushels in 1909.

Corn—Condition 59.4 per cent of a normal, compared with 56.8 per cent last year, 53.9 per cent in 1911 and 54.5 per cent the average for the past ten years.

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The "Automobile Bug" Discovered in Northern Ohio.

Marietta, Ohio, Aug. 7.—This city has discovered the "automobile bug."

It is a brown insect, more than an inch long, with a hard shell and glossy finish like the polished body of an auto. Two horns, fully two inches in length, adorn its brow and seemingly from them it emits or utters or gives vent to or whatever it is an auto horn does, a rasping sound startlingly like the real joy riding article.

This city with one accord has dubbed the insect the "automobile bug." It was found in the office of L. E. Breit, a local business man, crawling over his chair with as self-contained an air as ever the human auto bug dashed along the high road.

Bugs Ranch at Austin.

Alpine, Aug. 8.—Herbert Kokernot of San Antonio today bought at sheriff's sale the famous Irving ranch at Locoonia, this county, for \$81,000. It embraces 45,000 acres and was the property of the Orient Land company, which had projected a big irrigation undertaking upon it but was forced to sell. The Orient company paid \$123,000 for the land. This purchase gives Mr. Kokernot 120,000 acres in ranches in this county.

Woman Suicides.

Palacios, Aug. 8.—Mrs. C. D. Roberts of this city was found dead in an alley this morning with gunshot wounds in her body. The weapon with a wire attached to the trigger was found nearby. She had been a spinster for some time owing to ill health and a verdict of suicide was returned. She leaves a husband and five children.

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August 8, 1913.

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1. Large 7-room house, with six good rooms, two galleries, half \$852, all newly papered and painted; beautiful shade trees. A bargain at \$4,000, on easy terms. This property is right near the new Farwell Heights school. The lots are worth the money, but partly wants to sell to invest in farm land and some one is going to get a big deal.

2. We have a good farm on the Katy and in 1/4 mile of Crescent Avenue and Lakeview. Additions that the owner wants to sell right away. There are sixty acres in cultivation, with good 5-room house, hall, two galleries, bath, servant's house, etc.; plenty of water, etc. We are giving a special price of \$65 per acre; long time loan can be assumed, and party might take in some good Waco property.

3. 150-acre farm, 1/2 mile off a good graded road and on a public road, about six miles from Waco, all fenced, with 90 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture and good grass. This land is black waxy and all can be put in cultivation. We have a price of \$65 per acre; long time loan can be assumed, and party might take in some good Waco property.

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SAYS CASTRO NOT LEADING.

Former President, According to Andrade Not Heading Rebels.

New York, Aug. 7.—General Ignacio Andrade, formerly president of Venezuela and recently appointed minister from that country to Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia, who arrived in New York today from Curaçao, expressed the belief that former President Castro was not in Venezuela leading a revolution, as has been reported.

"When I was in Curaçao last week his name was not even mentioned as being in Venezuelan water, although it was known that his brother Carmelo had gone to Colombia," General Andrade said. "If Castro is in Curaçao he has absolutely no followers and he will be crushed easily. If he is captured by President Gomez he will receive the justice that is due him."

General Andrade said he would remain in New York two weeks before going to Lima to assume his new duties. He denied he came to America on a diplomatic mission in connection with the revolution.

Minnesota's iron ranges are producing more ore than all the other states combined, last year's figures being almost 62 per cent of the total output of the country.

A patent has been granted on apparatus for determining the direction of sources of sounds by dividing the sound waves and then receiving first one portion and then the other.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway. All trains arrive and depart at the M. K. & T. station, corner of Eighth and Jackson streets. W. A. Morrow, city ticket agent, corner of Sixth and Franklin streets.

Northbound.

No. 6 Flyer, leaves 4:40 a.m.
No. 8 Minute Train, leaves 3:45 a.m.
No. 10 Limited, leaves 4:00 p.m.
No. 2 Dal.-Pt. W. local, leaves 8:10 a.m.
No. 4 Denison local, leaves 2:25 p.m.
No. 15 S.A. local at (Term.), leaves 8:20 p.m.
Southbound.
No. 5 Flyer, leaves 12:15 a.m.
No. 7 Minute Train, leaves 11:25 p.m.
No. 9 Limited, leaves 1:05 p.m.
No. 15 San Antonio local (made up here), leaves 7:22 a.m.
No. 3 Local to San Antonio, 10:45 a.m.
No. 1 Local to Granger, 10:45 p.m.
Limited Flyer and To the Minute Trains stop only at the larger stations.

Texas Central Railway.

All trains arrive and depart at the M. K. & T. station, corner of Eighth and Jackson streets. W. A. Morrow, city ticket agent, corner of Sixth and Franklin streets.

Westbound.

No. 22 leaves 1:30 a.m.
No. 21 leaves 10:50 p.m.
Eastbound.
No. 24 arrives 2:30 p.m.
No. 22 arrives 7:00 a.m.

Houston and Texas Central Railway. All trains arrive and depart at the Union Station, corner of Fourth and Mary streets. T. J. Shields, city ticket agent, 112 South Fourth street.

No. 6 arrives Waco 6:55 a.m.
No. 72 arrives Waco 7:00 a.m.
No. 72 arrives Waco 10:00 a.m.
No. 62 arrives Waco 10:00 a.m.
No. 74 arrives Waco 1:00 p.m.
No. 62 arrives Waco 4:00 p.m.
No. 75 arrives Waco 5:00 p.m.

St. Louis Southwestern Railway. All trains arrive and depart at the Union Station, corner of Fourth and Mary streets. G. D. Bowman, ticket city ticket agent, 111 South Fourth street.

No. 6 leaves 7:25 a.m.
No. 2 leaves 8:10 p.m.
No. 1 arrives 8:20 a.m.
No. 3 arrives 9:50 p.m.
No. 1 (to Gatesville, Hamilton and Comanche), leaves 11:00 a.m.
No. 2 (to Gatesville) leaves 4:45 p.m.
No. 2 (from Gatesville, Hamilton and Comanche) 5:05 p.m.
No. 4 (from Gatesville) 8:00 a.m.
Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe.

All trains arrive and depart at the Union Station, corner South Fourth and Mary streets. W. S. Gillespie, agent, Union Depot.

No. 1 arrives 10:50 a.m.
No. 15 leaves 10:55 a.m.
No. 17 arrives 10:30 p.m.
No. 17 leaves 10:40 p.m.
Northbound.

No. 7 leaves 7:00 p.m.
No. 14 leaves 7:05 p.m.
No. 16 arrives 7:10 a.m.
No. 16 leaves 7:30 a.m.
San Antonio and Arkansas Pass Ry.

All trains arrive and depart at Union Station, corner Fourth and Mary streets. C. D. Bowman, ticket agent, Union Depot.

No. 51 leaves 6:05 a.m.
No. 52 leaves 6:05 p.m.
No. 53 arrives 10:15 p.m.
No. 54 arrives 11:05 a.m.

Markets By Telegraph

Cotton.

Houston.
Houston, Aug. 8.—Spot cotton closed steady and unchanged.

Low ordinary 7 1/4
Ordinary 8 3/4
Good ordinary 9 1/2
Low middling 10 1/2
Middling 11 1/2
Good middling 12
Middling fair 12 1/4
Sales none; f. o. b. 1,760; shipments 2,756; stock 26,931.

Memphis.
Memphis, Aug. 8.—Cotton spot unchanged, steady. Middling 11 1/4.

MOVEMENT OF COTTON.

Weekly Movement and Total Crop Movement Reported by New York.

New York, Aug. 8.—The following statistics on the movement of cotton for the week ending Aug. 8 were compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange.

Weekly Movement.

Port receipts 16,777
Overland to mills and Canada 6,581
Southern mill takings (estimated) 19,060
Loss of stock at interior towns 19,911

Brought into sight for the week 22,447

Total Crop Movement.

Port receipts 8,909,772
Overland to mills and Canada 992,095

Southern mills takings (estimated) 2,740,000

Stock at interior towns in excess of Sept. 1 31,370

Brought into sight thus far for the season 13,574,249

990 bales deducted from Texas City receipts for season; 423 bales burned at Augustin.

World's Visible Supply.

New Orleans, Aug. 8.—Secretary Hesters' statement of the world's visible supply of cotton made up from special cable and telegraphic advices compares the figures of this week with last week, last year and the year before. It shows a decrease for the week just closed of 22,621 against a decrease of 187,797 last year and a decrease of 116,884 year before last.

The total visible is 1,581,582 against 2,586,263 last week, 2,297,675 last year and 1,825,182 year before last. Of this the total of American cotton is 1,154,582, against 1,315,293 last week, 1,438,675 last year and 1,722,163 year before last and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc. 1,707,696, against 1,271,699 last week, 859,000 last year and 893,000 year before last.

The total world's visible supply of cotton as above show a decrease compared with last week of 22,621, an increase compared with last year of 62,907, and an increase compared with year before last of 736,419.

On the world's visible supply of cotton as above there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,291,000, against 1,457,000 last year and 886,000 year before last, in India 65,000 year before last; in the United States 254,000, against 291,000 last year and 211,000 year before last.

FUTURES.

Liverpool, Aug. 8.—Futures closed quiet.

August 6 1/2
Sept.-Oct. 6 1/2
Nov.-Dec. 5 9/16
Dec.-Jan. 5 9/16
Feb.-Mar. 5 9/16
March-April 5 9/16
April-May 5 9/16
May-June 5 9/16
June-July 5 9/16
July-August 5 9/16

Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, Aug. 8.—For the week ending Aug. 8:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week 16,893

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 9,629

Total receipts since Sept. 1, 9,811,222

Total receipts to same date last year 11,853,855

Exports for the week 14,990

Exports for the same week of last year 13,574

Total exports since Sept. 1, 8,351,193

Total exports same date last year 19,289,731

Stock at all U. S. ports same time last year 212,841

Stock at all interior towns 115,958

Stock at all interior towns same time last year 78,160

Stock at Liverpool 702,000

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 724,000

Liverpool Weekly Report.

Liverpool, Aug. 8.—Weekly cotton statistics: Imports, all kinds, 19,000; American 5,000.

Stock, all kinds, 702,000; American 50,000.

American forwarded 63,000.

Total exports 7200.

COTTON SEED PRODUCTS.

New York.

New York, Aug. 8.—The unsteady movement in near months caused further sharp declines in cotton seed oil today, but after midday active covering with the strength of cotton and the bullish southwest crop news caused reactions and the market closed steady at 12 points decline to 4 points advance. Sales 12,000 barrels. Prime crude, nominal; summer yellow, 39 1/2; August 31 1/2; September 39 1/2; October 39 1/2; November 37 1/2; December 36 1/2; January 36 1/2; February 36 1/2; March 36 1/2; prime winter yellow and summer white, 39 1/2.

Memphis, Aug. 8.—Cotton seed products prime oil 80 cents; meal 31.50 to 32.00; hullers 2 1/2 to 2 1/2.

Bradstreet's Report.

New York, Aug. 8.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

While irregularity still pervades trade, crop and industrial reports and fall trade seems rather slow to get under way, the underlying general tone except in sections where early favorable crop promise has failed, is still highly optimistic.

Securities markets at home and abroad show an improving tendency, the money situation reflects less tension, the country's wheat yield promises to be a bumper one, cotton crop promises as a whole are excellent. Pig iron is more active at higher price. The tariff debate, though dragging, still moves toward its close; the railroads are busy moving the first of the country's large crops and export clearances of wheat are liberal. There are, however, enough spotty features in the outlook to prevent conservative management of business after having been rashly abandoned.

Business failures for the week ending August 7, were 265, which compares with 221 in 1912.

Wheat, including flour exports from the United States and Canada for the week aggregate \$6,681,000 bushels as against 2,740,125 bushels last year.

Galveston.

Galveston, Aug. 8.—Spot cotton closed easy, unchanged.

Low ordinary 7 7/16
Good ordinary 8 7/16
Low middling 9 1/16
Middling 10 13/16
Good middling 11 13/16
Middling fair 12 1/16
Fair 13 1/16

Receipts 445; stock 20,725.

Liverpool.

Liverpool, Aug. 8.—Spot cotton fair demand, easier.

Middling fair 7 7/8

Good middling 8 7/8

Low middling 9 1/8

Middle 10 13/16

Good middling 11 13/16

Middling fair 12 1/16

Fair 13 1/16

Receipts 2,074; stock 21,733.

New York.

New York, Aug. 8.—Spot cotton quiet and unchanged. Middling uplands 12, middling gulf 12 1/2. No sales.

Grain.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—Government figures today on crop losses in corn proved to be much more bullish than expected. The report, however, came too late to affect the market, closing prices being easy at a net advance of 5 1/2 to 1 1/2.

Latest trading left wheat 34 1/2 to 34 1/4 down, oats unchanged to 34 1/2 higher and provisions off 2 1/2 to 2 1/2 to 10c.

Gueses on the Washington estimate as to the yield of corn had put the production 32,000,000 bushels too high.

Advanced prices today though were based not so much on what the government would show as on the continued drought in Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa and the excessive heat in the two first-named states.

The advances carried September to a new high level for the season at 72 1/2. Good rains in Northern Illinois and parts of Indiana and Ohio seemed to make no impression in favor of the corn bears. A late dispatch that a hard rain was in progress at Galveston and El Paso attracted more attention to the idea prevailing that this storm might work

